Module 4 Coordinating Community Resources

Skills-based training

Course Objectives

After completing this course, participants will be able to demonstrate the following when working with families. Service Coordinators will:

- Have increased knowledge of the nature and scope of Early ACCESS services.
- 2. Be able to explain the nature and scope of Early ACCESS services to families in family friendly language.
- 3. Be able to identify and describe early intervention services available in the family's community.
 - Public resources in many cases with no charge to the family, e.g., WIC
 - **Private resources** for example a family's insurance policy
 - Formal resources services for which families pay, such as private clinic services like physical therapy, or speech therapy
 - **Informal resources** services for which families incur no cost, e.g., family, friends, neighbors, etc.
 - 4. Have increased knowledge of the Service Coordinator's role regarding public and private payment sources for intervention services.
 - 5. Recognize the need for effective collaboration skills in working with families and teams in order to address/satisfy families' needs.
 - 6. Identify and practice the skills necessary for effective collaboration.